GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PREVENTIVE DETENTION – The Andhra Pradesh Prevention of Dangerous Activities of Bootleggers, Dacoits, Drug Offenders, Goondas, Immoral Traffic Offenders and Land Grabbers Act, 1986 (Act No. 1 of 1986) – Order of Detention made by the Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur against Sri Angadi Srinivasa Rao @ Chanti, S/o Bhikshalu, aged 32 years, resident of Obulesunipalli Village, Durgi Mandal, Guntur District – Representation of Smt. Angadi Govindamma, W/o Angadi Srinivasa Rao – Examined – Rejection – Orders – Issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SC.I) DEPRTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.362 Dated.28-02-2022
Read the following:-

1) From the Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur district, Proceedings No. 670/2021-C, dated 19.11.2021.
2) G.O. Rt. No. 2018, General Administration (SC.I) Department, dated 30.11.2021.
3) Representation of Smt. Angadi Govindamma, W/o Angadi Srinivasa Rao, Dated 17.12.2021, received through U.O. Note No. 4238/IOC/2021, Home Department, dated 05.01.2022.
4) G.O. Ms. No. 50, General Administration (SC.I) Department, Dated 11.01.2022.
5) Memo. No. 1574075/GAD01-LO0ACTS(PDAA)/29/2021-SC.1/A3, General Administration (SC.I) Department, Dated 19.01.2022.
6) From the Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur, Letter Rc. No. 670/2021-C, Dated 14.02.2022.

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ORDER:

In the reference first read above, the Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 (2) read with Section 2(g) of the Andhra Pradesh Prevention of Dangerous Activities of Bootleggers, Dacoits, Drug Offenders, Goondas, Immoral Traffic Offenders and Land Grabbers Act, 1986 (Act No. 1 of 1986), made an order of detention against Sri Angadi Srinivasa Rao @ Chanti, S/o Bhikshalu, aged 32 years, resident of Obulesunipalli village, Durgi Mandal, Guntur District. Taking into consideration the record and grounds for detention, in the G.O. second read above, Government had approved the order of detention passed by the Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur. The case has been placed before the Advisory Board for its opinion. Having perused the grounds of detention, all the connected record and also having heard the detenue and the Investigating Officer, the Advisory Board opined that there is sufficient cause for the detention of the detenue Sri Angadi Srinivasa Rao @ Chanti. In the G.O. fourth read above, Government, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 12 read with Section 13 of the said Act, confirmed the order of detention made against Sri Angadi Srinivasa Rao @ Chanti.

2. In the reference third read above, Smt. A. Govindamma, wife of Sri Angadi Srinivasa Rao @ Chanti made a representation to the Government, stating that he was falsely implicated in six cases under the provisions of the A.P. Prohibition Act in the year 2020-21; that the order of detention was passed in clear violation of Fundamental Rights guaranteed under the Constitution of India; that the analysis reports of the liquor samples cannot be the conclusive proof and are not tested for legal scrutiny by conducting trial and giving an opportunity to the detenue to cross examine the persons who gave the alleged reports. She has requested to release the detenue.

3. The contents of the representation have been examined in the light of the record and remarks of the Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur. It is evident that Sri Angadi Srinivasa Rao @ Chanti, S/o Bhikshalu was indulged in clandestine manufacture, possess, transportation, storage and sale of Illicit Distilled Liquor in and around Macherla, Veldurthy and Durgi Mandals of Guntur district and causing widespread danger to the public health. Seven cases are registered against the detenue. The chemical reports in all the cases have clearly stated that the samples are illicit distilled

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liquor, not fit for human consumption and injurious to public health and in extreme cases, it may leads to death. In all the cases, investigation has been completed and charge sheets are being filed in the respective Hon'ble Courts. Hence, the order of detention made against Sri Angadi Srinivasa Rao @ Chanti is in accordance with the provisions of the Andhra Pradesh Prevention of Dangerous Activities of Bootleggers, Dacoits, Drug Offenders, Goondas, Immoral Traffic Offenders and Land Grabbers Act, 1986 (Act No. 1 of 1986) and there is no violation of personal liberty and fundamental rights guaranteed under the Constitution of India in respect of the detenue. The request of Smt. A. Govindamma, w/o Sri Angadi Srinivasa Rao deserves no merit consideration and as such the same is liable for rejection.

4. Accordingly, the request of Sri A. Govindamma, wife of Sri Angadi Srinivasa Rao @ Chanti, the detenue to release her husband is hereby rejected.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DR.SAMEER SHARMA
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
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Copy to:
The Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur District, Guntur.

//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

Section Officer (SC)